Judge—"You robbed your benefactor in a most shameful way. Do you feel no com-junctions of con-cience?" Prisoner—" Before inswering, str. I would like to consult my

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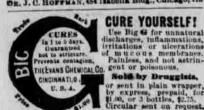
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But, even worse than official incompe ency, those who provided the supplies were minted with peculation and fraud, says Charles Kendall Adams in The Atlantic. The historical student, as he gives up the idea that the legislation of the time was supremely wise, must also, however reluctantly, abandon the idea that the Revolutionary period was an age of spotless political virtue.

Again and again Washington pleaded with congress and with the chief offi The Retreat—"I see," said the elderly boarder, that the paper rays the for retreated doggedly, woulder what aort of retreat that was?" "Frequently," said the Cheerful idiot, "they took a their barks." ing to President Reed of Pennsylvania our cause" "to condign punishment, he unbridled his passion and sent these energetic words: "I would to God that one of the most atrocious in each state were hung on a gallows five times as

The situation seemed so desperate Try Schilling's Best tes and baking powder, that only six days later he wrote to Benjamin Harrison, the speaker of the offer it as mine that each state will not |er dld?

mantel and cold roast eagle on the sideboard." When asked if he partook of the latter, he said no, as "an Irishman he was drawn by a patriotic instinct to the notato salad," and demanded Scotch whisky to show cosmopolitan breath. Lest he should become too bellicose, he "felt even afraid to handle a drumstick.

Asked if women had inspired men to The ordnance survey map of England, drink as well as to heroic actions, he which contains over 108,000 sheets, and said, "Yes! Often when one is Mumm.

20 years to keep up to date, is said to And speaking of the heroic intoxicabe the largest map in the world. The | tion that has sent so many men to war, scale varies from ten feet to one-eighth he said it is what "makes the pupples of an inch to the wile. The details are fight well, and then, we feel such a deso minute that sheets having a scale of licious egotism. Why, when I am 25 inches show every hedge, fence, marching down Broadway, I do not wall, building and even every isolated know whether I am a part of the universe or whether the universe is a part

Diamond Studded Streets.

Perhaps the most interesting fact in connection with Kimberly, the Diamond

At nearly every meeting of the borsion to wash streets, or portions of streets, are received. The would be washer has to obtain the consent of persons resident in the street or road, to put the latter into sound repair again and pay tithe to the municipality in the shape of 10 per cent on his gross finds. Last year £960 was paid to the

municipality in this way. In the early days of the diamond fields the ground was washed in a very primitive style, many diamonds being thrown away in the debris, as it is called. This debris was subsequently used for street making purposes, and now, years after, with better machinery at

He Settled It.

An amusing story is told at Stratfordon-Avon. In the smoking room of a hotel there an Englishman and a Scotchman engaged in a heated argument. John Bull was declaring William Shakespeare to be the only poet of the world, and Donald McPherson was standing up for his Robert Burns.

Words ran high and blows seeme imminent when a self confident little commercial traveler determined to throw oil on the troubled waters. "Gentlemen," he said, stepping between the heated disputants, "let me

settle this amicably. Who is this Shake-speare-Burns?"—London Telegraph.

Flight of the Butterflies. One of the most beautiful sights in the world is the annual migration of butterflies across the isthmus of Panama. Where they come from or whither they go no one knows, and though many distinguished naturalists have attempted to solve the problem it is still as strange a mystery as it was to the first European traveler who observed it. Toward the end of June a few scattered specimens are discovered flitting out to sea and as the days go by the number increase, until about July 14 or 15 the sky is occasionally almost obscured by myriads of these frail insects.

Not His Legs.

A Russian peasant having gone to the town to buy himself a pair of new boots, fell asleep by the roadside on his way home and was stripped of his cherished boots by a light fingered tramp but his sleep remained unbroken till a passing wagoner, seeing him lying half ecross the track, shouted to him to

'take his legs out of the way." "My legs?" echoed the half aroused sleeper, rubbing his eyes. "Those legs ain't mine. Mine had boots on!"

"The Smallpox Devil." The natives of the west coast of Sumatra object to be vaccinated. They still make offerings to the smallpox devil. The heart and liver of fowls and buffaloes are mixed with yellow rice and other ingredients, placed in the model of a full rigged ship, carried in procession and finally launched into the sea. W. H. SEITH, BUFFALO, N. Y., Sole Proprietors. - Singapore Free Press.

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"What's that "

when it comes."

von doing?"

know, dear.

altion.

Adult son-She can.

"Then what is the matter?"

would you be very angry?

ticket and had to walk."

Louis Post-Dispatch.

"Away, frall woman! I am going to

Concrete Meanness.

the ple my dear mother used to make.

Plenty of Ability.

nave so much trouble with your house

"She won't."-New York Weekly.

And There Are Others.

went no farther than a case of suppo-

Running a Risk.

ried again. This is his fourth wife.

who will live.-Boston Transcript.

Making Use of Them.

Bookkeeper-Here's another bill from

An Unterrified Lovely Girl.

giri, "you are wrong. A woman can't

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ter do the fair thing by you.

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be reduced to four for men of better

How a man whose collar wilts in

Herbert-I say, old man, don't you re

drive a nail in your coffin?

drive a nall."-What to Eat.

me several months ago?

North American.

to marry me.

bound.-San Francisco Chronicle.

your tailor, sir.

ther is war in Cuby.

yew want it here?

Evening Journal.

ful. He'll get caught some day.

Fuddy-Get caught?

Fuddy-Kwiverful, they say, is mar-

Duddy-Kwiverful'd better be care

Duddy-Yes; he'll marry a womat

shoot myself!"-Ally Sloper.

scared them out of their breeches."

Jokes and Jokelets that Are Supposed to Have Been Recently Born-Sayings and Doings that Are Odd, Curious and Laughable-The Week's Humor.

Fatisfactory. Her Father-Young man, I fear you are making a mistake. My daughter will not get a cent from me until after

Her Suitor-Oh, that doesn't worry me in the least. I have saved enough o keep us for a couple of years .- St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

Bobber-It's too bad that George Washington never knew/the serene conhouse of delegates of Virginia, "As tentment that can comesonly to the man who manipulates rod and line. Angleson-How do you know he nev-

Bobber-He never told a lie.

Her father-No. I can't/consent to let you have my daughter.

Suitor-May I ask why? Is it anyhing you have against me personally? Her father-No. I like you, all right. as far as that's concerned, but'you don't really love each other, Sultor-I assure von-

Her father-No, I'm not mistaken, M7 gas bills have been nearly twice as high during the past three months as they were while she was engaged to young

Faithless Tommy Atkins,



Sarah-Just fancy the corporal a-givn' up Mary for that old cook; she's old enough to be 'is mother.

Tommy-Yes, my dear, but look at the wages! Why, Mary didn't earn enough to keep 'im in smokes!-Ally

Lacked Originality. He-And am I really and truly the first man you ever kissed?

She-Why, of course, you are, stu-He-Stupid! Why do you call me

At least a dozen men have asked m

A Matter of Words. "What a pushing fellow that young their disposal, people find it pays to Migley is! Six years ago he was a wait-"wash the streets."—Cape Times. has a government job that pays him \$7,000 a year."

"Pushing, did you say? You've got the wrong word. Pulling is what you

Rising to an Occasion, Mrs. Younglove-John, do you know that you haven't kissed me for a week? Mr. Younglove-Yes, darling, I was just waiting to see how long it would

take you to notice it. John, it will be observed, had his presence of mind with him.-Cleveland

He Was Too Hasty. "Why is it," he asked, "that beautiful women are always the most stupid?" "Sir," she replied, "am I to under stand that you desire to cast reflections upon my mental capacity?"

"Oh, no," he hurriedly returned; "I have always sald that you were one of the brightest girls I ever-But he didn't finish. Before he could do so he realized that he had said the

wrong thing and could never make it As to His Health. "You may as well understand, young man," said the old gentleman, "that my daughter will not get a cent until

after my death." "Oh, that's all right," replied the young man cheerfully. "I have already

consulted your family physician." A Sure Sign. Smith-Brown is evidently financial-

ly embarrassed. Jones-Why do you think so? Smith-He is beginning to live extravagantly and dresses better than

Thoughtful.



"No, dearest, it would not be at all right to take dollies to church." "But, mamma, dear, it would not matter if I only took the one who shuts her eyes, would it?"-New York News.

The Full in Temperature. "Ah!" he cried, "yesterday you welcomed me warmly. To-day you receive me coldly. What is the cause of this sudden change?"

"Don't you read the papers?" she Cigarettes get blamed for lots of ills calmly replied. "My father has just that are due to love affairs. inherited a cool million."

THE BISCUIT DIDN'T RISE.

ation regarding the War that they are Bow a Young Cook Thought to Remedy

They had been visiting and while "They have said all along that they would fight to the bitter end, and it's bound to be that way now, no matter them still lingered in the mind. Why would fight to the bitter end, and it's bound to be that wuy now, no matter shouldn't they have such things themselves? The mistress of the honse de cided that they should, if she had to "I have read somewhere that Admiral Cervera and his men hain't any clothes make them herself. What good wife would not be willing to take a little on to speak of when they surrendered." trouble to please her husband? So in "Yes; that's so. In addition to knockthis virtuous frame of mind she repairing the spots off them, Schley's men ed to the kitchen, and there she stirred up her biscuit in the most approved fashion, shaped them daintily and put them in the pan. But she was not accustomed to this work, and it was not strange that she should forget some of the ingredients. It was the baking powder, a small but somewhat important of book borrowers. I have many bor- to digest my food. Headaches and item in the construction of light bis- rowed books on my shelves. I would cuit. She did not once think of it until the biscuit had been in the oven a few moments. Then, as she stood gazing admiringly at the outside of the range, which contained this precious proof of her culinary skill, she suddenly ex-"There, I forgot all about the baking

That would have been a heartbreak-

ing thought to most housewives, but not to this one. She was a woman of expedients. "Marmaduke! Marmaduke! what are

'Never mind," she said as she hurriedly thought over various ways of mending matters; "those bisouit have only been in a short time, and I will just sprinkle the baking powder over the top, and it can melt and soak in. And she did, but the baking powder did he delighted in telling, "I worked un-Mrs. Spinkum-Oh, Alfred, you don't not. The housewife herself tells this ceasingly to acquire a knowledge of the know how glad I am to hear you say story of her cooking now with great glee, while her husband, being a patient Mr. Spinkum-It's so different, you man, never says a word about his part of it in the eating.-New York Times.

THE SECRET OF BEAUTY.

Anxious mother-How is it that you One Can Never He Pleasant to Look Upon Unless In Good Health. keeping? You told me your wife could

"The most helpful and agreeable bath is that of tepid water," writes Ruth Ashmore in The Ladies' Home Journal. Few people can stand absolutely cold baths, and, no matter how strong one Jack-Supposing I were to place my may be, such a bath should not be indulged in unless a thorough rubbing be irm around your waist and steal a kiss. taken afterward. To speak plainly, it Maud-Indeed I would-that is, if it must be remembered that while a cold bath may be more or less invigorating it is not cleansing. I can easily under-stand the desire of every woman to have "Do you know when old Gotrox first) a clear, beautiful skin, but I confess to being provoked when I think of the came here he was too poor to buy a amount of money spent on lotions, creams and powders to be applied ex-"Yes, and now he's too rich to buy a ternally and which have nothing like as ticket and has to ride on a pass."-St. good an effect upon the skin as a tepid bath with good soap taken at least once

a week The condition of the skin depends al most entirely upon the care given to the general health. The girl who is up late tance strangers often mistake them for at night, gives no care to her diet, indulges in various stimulants, bathes but seldom and exercises less is certain to have either a dull, muddy looking skin or one covered with disagreeable looking black and red spots. One should avoid many sweets and much pastry and not allow herself to become a slave either to tea or coffee any more than she would to some vicious drug or strong stimulant. She should also remember that unless she is in good condition internally she will be anything but a pleasant object to look upon externally

Smokeless Powder. It is a curious fact that with all of the improvements and modifications so notable in our navy we are still using the old fashioned smoky, smelly powder that envelops everything in a gray pall, obscures the view and confuses the gunners. Only one of our ships has been De Broke-Ah, yes. Save them until using cordite, the wonderful smokeless you have a hundred, and I'll have them powder which the English navy has adopted. The results with this ship, the New Orleans, were truly amazing. The rapidity, accuracy and precision of her Farmer Scroggs-It's too bad thet fire were the admiration of all observers. Smokeless powder has several advan-Farmer Hayrick-Gewhilliker! Would tages. There is no obscuring of the Farmer Scroggs-Wal, if it wuz here view, the explosion producing the merest we'd be able to ketch them sojer fel- haze, which lasts but an instant. It lers in some uv ther whoppers they'll leaves but little residuum in the gun, tell when ther war's over.-New York has much more power and is every way more desirable. Higher muzzle velocity is obtained with a projectile, as the powder burns much more slowly than the ordinary sort, and, therefore, gen-A lovely girl was caught by her aunt while indulging in a surreptitious eigarerates more gas as the ball travels up to the mouth of the gun. The demand for smokeless powder seems to be one of the "My dear," said the horrified aunt, imperatives of the immediate future. -"do you know that every time you New York Ledger. smoke one of those beastly things you "No, auntle, dear," said the lovely

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formance of nature's function. The statement we print from Miss GER-Widow-Well, one of them will have TRUDE SIKES, of Eldred, Pa., is echoed in every city, town and hamlet in this country. Read what she says: Quick Drop Dan (after a pause)-Say "posin' we lynches one 'nd calls it "DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:-I feel like a squar.-New York Evening Journal.

new person since following your advice, and think it is my duty to let the Following the visit of their president | public know the good your remedies' to Russia the French papers have been have done me. My troubles were paininstructing their readers on the forces ful menstruction and leucorrhoea I possessed by that country. The Army was nervous and had spells of being and Navy Gazette of London extracts confused. Before using your remedies from one of the most widely read of I never had any faith in patent medithese some interesting particulars. The cines. I now wish to say that I never Russian army, founded by a ukase of had anything do me so much good for 1870 on universal liability to service, painful menstruation as Lydia E. Pink-can draw upon annual recruiting lists ham's Vegetable Compound; also would of something like 750,000 in Europe and 140,000 in Asia, but in time of peace many cases of exemption are admitted, and only about a quarter of the above.

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I once returned to Burne-Jones some books which he had lent me 30 years sefore, writing to him to the effect that if it was base to keep borrowed books so long it was heroic to return them aftbreed the sense of ownership. In reply

"The return of those books has sim-ply staggered me. It has also pained "For years I was unable to do my me, for it seems to raise the standard work. I could not sleep nights or rest of morality in these matters and per- days on account of contirowed books on my shelves. I would rather the owners should die than that I should have to think about these things and return them. I have two costly volumes that were lent to me be fore that little incident of ours, which, you may remember, was in Red Lion square. I hope the owner is no more, for I simply will not give them up And you have made me uneasy and have belped to turn an amiable rascal into a confirmed villain. Your affec-

Edouard Remenyi, the great violinist,

used to say that some of the hardest studying he ever did in his life began after an experience he had in Detroit. "On my first tour of this country. language and got on fairly well. But fled me more than anything else. I gave a performance in Detroit one night and met with a reception that warmed my heart toward her people. Among other things, this appeared in one of the papers next morning: 'Here an ugly, little, bowlegged chap, whose clothes hung loosely about his ungainly person, waddled to the footlights. But.

sakes alive, how he did play the fiddle! "Now, I couldn't make out what that 'sakes alive' meant, so I timidly approached a gentlemanly citizen, told him of my inability to grasp the meaning of the slang, and asked him if the expression was intended to be complimentary. "He kindly read it and replied,

'Well, I should snicker.' "I was more bewildered than ever, and from that time on made the study of slang one of my chief occupations.' -Detroit Free Press.

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haps to sting the susceptible consciences in my stomach and back. I was unable



I Retired to City Life.

painful urination were frequent, and my heart's action became increased. 1 slang that I found so prevalent baf; for I was a confirmed invalid, and the left my farm and retired to city life, doctors said I would never be well

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